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Applicant(s): ABE et al.

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THEREOF

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RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES


Sir:

In response to the Restriction Election of Species mailed on January 10, 2005 in connection with the above application, Applicants hereby elect the sixth embodiment of Fig. 8 without traverse. Applicants state that claims 8, 10-13 and 17 read on this sixth embodiment of Fig. 8.

Examination of the present application in view of the above election is respectfully requested.

Please charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account 50-1147.

Respectfully submitted,



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